COUNTY OF SUFFOLK



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PLANNING DIVISION OF PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT

COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Tom Gulbransen Chair CEQ

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Steven Bellone, Suffolk County Executive

Honorable Robert Calarco, Presiding Officer

FROM: Tom Gulbransen, Chairperson IG

DATE: December 14, 2021

RE: CEQ Review of the Recommended SEQRA Classifications of Legislative Resolutions

Laid on the Table October 5, 2021, November 16, 2021 and November 22, 2021

At its December 8, 2021 meeting, the CEQ reviewed the above referenced matter. Pursuant to Chapter 450 of the Suffolk County Code, and based on the information received, the Council recommends to the Suffolk County Legislature and County Executive in CEQ Resolution No. 38-2021, a copy of which is attached, that the enclosed list of legislative resolutions laid on the table for October 5, 2021, November 16, 2021 and November 22, 2021 be classified pursuant to SEQRA as so indicated in the left hand margin. The majority of the proposed resolutions are Type II actions pursuant to the appropriate section of Title 6 NYCRR Part 617.5, with no further environmental review necessary. Unlisted and Type I actions require that the initiating unit of County government prepare an Environmental Assessment Form (EAF) or other SEQRA documentation and submit it to the CEQ for further SEQRA review and recommendations.

Enclosed for your information is a copy of CEQ Resolution No. 38-2021 setting forth the Council's recommendations along with the associated lists of legislative resolutions.

If the Council can be of further help in this matter, please let us know.

Enc.

cc: All Suffolk County Legislators
Amy Ellis, Clerk of Legislature
Sarah Simpson, Counsel of the Legislature
Sarah Lansdale, Director of Planning, Department of Economic Development and Planning
Andrew Freleng, Chief Planner, Department of Economic Development and Planning
Dennis Cohen, Suffolk County Attorney

CEQ RESOLUTION NO. 38-2021, RECOMMENDATION CONCERNING SEQRA CLASSIFICATIONS OF LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTIONS LAID ON THE TABLE OCTOBER 5, 2021, NOVEMBER 16, 2021 AND NOVEMBER 22, 2021, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 450 OF THE SUFFOLK COUNTY CODE

WHEREAS, the legislative packet regarding resolutions laid on the table on October 5, 2021, November 16, 2021 and November 22, 2021 have been received in the CEQ office; and

WHEREAS, staff has preliminarily reviewed the proposed resolutions and recommended SEQRA classifications; now, therefore, be it

1st RESOLVED, that in the judgment of the CEQ, based on the information received and presented, a quorum of the Council recommends to the Suffolk County Legislature and County Executive, pursuant to Chapter 450 of the Suffolk County Code, that the attached list of actions and projects be classified by the Legislature and County Executive pursuant to SEQRA as so indicated.

DATED: 12/8/2021

PROJECT # PLN-33-2021 RESOLUTION #: 38-2021 DATE: December 8, 2021

RECORD OF CEQ RESOLUTION VOTES VIA ZOOM

CEQ APPOINTED MEMBERS	AYE	NAY	ABSTAIN	NOT PRESENT	RECUSED
Robert Carpenter Jr.	\boxtimes				
Frank De Rubeis	\boxtimes				
Anthony Graves	\boxtimes				
Tom Gulbransen	\boxtimes				
Mark Haubner	\boxtimes				
Hon. Kara Hahn	\boxtimes				
Katelyn Jackson	\boxtimes				
Michael Kaufman	\boxtimes				
Constance Kepert	\boxtimes			/ 🗆	
Mary Ann Spencer	\boxtimes				
Herbert Strobel	\boxtimes				

Recommendation: SEQRA Recommendations for the October 5, 2021, November 16, 2021

and November 22, 2021 LADS Report

Motion: Mr. Kaufman Second: Mr. De Rubeis

Further information may be obtained by contacting:

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